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物語

「妖精の羽根を手に入れた者に、幸運が訪れる――」

この言い伝えの為、羽根を狩る者達を妖精狩人と呼ぶ。妖精達は恐れていた。その一方、妖精達を守り、保護する事を目的とした妖精保護団体もまた、存在していた。

村の外のイーアを追って旅する妖精・レンと出会った。妖精保護団体のシエルは、彼が妖精とは知らないまま旅を共にすることとなる。首都ユッカルに狩人達が集まるとの情報を得たレン達は、ユッカルへと同じ方向へ向かう途中で追っ手を始末する。だがその直後、レンは誘拐されてしまう。本当の追っ手は今まで何度となくレンを助けてくれたサチだったのだ。捕われのレンを救うべく、シエルはジークと共にサチの後を追うが、その前に立ちはだかるのは、シエルの恩人だった天桐の姿だった――。

Chapter 19
第XIX羽（だいじゅうきゅうわ）

SFX: CLANG-ZX
SFX: SWOOSH
BRAT...!!
SFX: THUD
...
YOU'RE JUST TALK!!
SFX: I'LINK

I TOLD YOU
TO STOP, DIDN'T I?
...CIEL...
DON'T GET IN MY WAY
OR I'LL CUT YOU TOO!!

SFX STAB
I'M... UNABLE TO CUT YOU
SO YOU'RE UNABLE TO DO IT AS WELL...

THAT'S TOO BAD.
YOU MADE AN AGREEMENT THAT WHENEVER AT ANY KIND OF PLACE
YOU WON'T LET AN ENEMY ROAM FREE, DIDN'T YOU?
MIGIRI.
JAKE?
...
Heh

KIDDING
YOU DON'T NEED TO PRETEND ANYMORE

WHA...? WHY?!
DON'T TELL ME THAT SOMETHING HAPPEN TO MISONO?
IT'S ALL RIGHT. MISONO-CHAN IS WELL

WAIT A BIT YOU TWO
I CAN'T FOLLOW YOUR CONVERSATION
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY PRETEND?
THAT'S ...
YOU CAN TELL HIM ALREADY
MIGIRI ...?
I ...

I WAS SEND INTO THE HUNTER'S ORGANIZATION
AS A SPY,
CIEL.

SPY?!
YOU'RE A...
WHAT CAN DELAY THE PROGRESS OF MISONO'S ILLNESS
CIEL, DO YOU REMEMBER?
ARE YOU DOING SUCH A DANGEROUS THING!?
WHY
NYMPHE'S WINGS!
THERE'S A RULE THAT IT CAN'T BE USED FOR SELF-INTEREST PURPOSES
IT'S FINE TO USE IT FOR MISONO, BUT
THE ORGANIZATION HAS THOSE WINGS IN LARGE QUANTITY

THEN...
THAT'S RIGHT. IN EXCHANGE FOR ME ACTING AS A SPY,
I GOT SPECIAL APPROVAL TO USE IT FOR MISONO.
I MADE A DEAL
IS THAT SO?
THEN WHY CAN YOU STOP BEING A SPY NOW?
IT'S SIMPLE, BECAUSE THE NYMPHE WHO COOPERATE APPEARED
NO WAY!
IT'S UNHEARD OF THAT A NYMPHE WOULD CO-OPERATE WITH A HUMAN.
I THOUGHT SO TOO
BUT...

THERE IS
A NYMPHE LIKE THAT.
CIEL-SAN BROUGHT HIM
TO THE ORGANIZATION
SO IT'S FINE ALREADY,
MIGIRI-SAN.

OPEN UP.
OPEN IT!!
SFX: BANG 2X
SFX: LIGHTLY
Right, from the window
I CAN JUST FLY OFF

...THAT'S
...
I....
"When humans are in love."
the historic ruins that humans made.
THEY'RE HERE AS WELL....

WHAT?
WHEN DID YOU GET HERE!?
W-
GLARE
I'M VERY SORRY, IA-SAMA.
AZAZEL MADE TURBULENT MOVEMENTS SO
WE MADE THE INITIATIVE FIRST WITHOUT ASKING.
?!
AREN'T YOU THE ONE WHO BROUGHT ME HERE !?
WHY IS REN IN THIS MANSION?
THAT'S MY LINE
THE ME BE ALONE WITH REN
Shoujo Sense

CLOSE
IA...
ARE YOU GOING TO RUN AWAY FROM HERE?
OR WILL YOU HAVE A CHAT WITH ME ABOUT THE PAST?
A CHAT ABOUT THE PAST...?

SHOULD I TELL YOU ABOUT "THE LAW" OF THAT VILLAGE?
THE MOTIVE WHY I TRIED TO DESTROY THAT VILLAGE
REN
BEFORE I EVEN MET YOU

SFX CREAK
tap
tap
I HAD
JUST ONE ALLY...
WHY DID YOU TRY TO LEAVE THE VILLAGE THIS TIME,
IA?

CHIEF!
That was the previous chief.
BECAUSE THEY SAID THAT SINCE MY WINGS ARE BLACK
THAT "ISN'T YOUR HEART BLACK TOO?"
SO I TRIED TO TROUBLE THEM
THINKING I'D CALL HUMANS HERE...
EVEN THOUGH YOU WERE LOCKED HERE MANY TIMES ALREADY
YOU DON'T LEARN.
BE-CAUSE
CLENCH

IF YOUR HEART WAS BLACK
IT WOULDN'T BE YOUR WINGS FAULT
SFX: BONK
WEAK HEARTS BREAK
IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT
EVEN IF ONE'S HEART IS WEAK
TO STRENGTHEN THEIR HEART—
BUT
SAD

JUST ONE PARTNER
SHOULD APPEAR FOR YOU.
THERE'S NO ONE LIKE THAT
BECAUSE EVERYONE IN THIS VILLAGE HATES ME.
IT'S ALL RIGHT THERE WILL SURELY BE ONE
WHERE?
ONLY THE CHIEF IS NICE TO ME.
THAT'S RIGHT... I ONLY HAVE CHIEF.

WHY ..?
THESE HAIR DECORATIONS ARE CHIEF'S FAVOURITE, RIGHT ..?
TO ME THEY WERE MY ONLY PARTNERS
CLICK
I GOT THEM FROM MY PARENTS
CLICK
WEAR THEM
THEY'LL BE A GOOD LUCK CHARM
TO MAKE YOU STRONGER.
SFX TAP
NOW THEN
CHIEF...

SO I WON'T NEED TO PUT YOU HERE ANYMORE
I NEED TO BECOME STRONG TOO
the wind around me became weaker
Since then
and I was stopped being locked into the jail.
in all that
you were born.

SFX RUNNING
CHIEF!
IGNORING ME?
CHIEF
IA..
WE'RE YOUR FIANCES TOO THOUGH
However I look at it
THIS KID IS MY FIANCE
HE'S TOO CUTE!!
SFX SQUEEZE
Ren.. who has rare wings just like me.
AH..
YOU KNOW,
I need to protect
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
I...
I'LL BECOME STRONG,
am the only one
who'll satisfy you.
CHIEF!
-ONG

If that was a brief moment of happiness...
Even
Tomorrow's my adult ceremony
CHIEF?
That's ...
SFX: NOISE
I dislike it a lot, but
I need to bear it for Ken too...
Eh?!

SFX: APPEAR
Swords
WHERE DO YOU PLAN TO TAKE THE CHIEF?
WHAT IS WITH THIS BEHAVIOUR?

WHAT ABOUT THAT TOWER...?
?
LOOK AT THAT TOWER OVER THERE!
OVER THERE...
IA..
THAT'S RIGHT, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO KNOW,

CRI-...
MINALS?
CRIMINALS
ARE
LOCKED.
WHY... IN A TOWER?
ISN'T THERE... A PRISON IN THE VILLAGE?
BECAUSE CRIMINALS SERVE THERE
Serve...?

OF THIS VILLAGE.
AS A BARRIER
EH..
CRIMINALS ARE PUT THERE.
Nymphes are used as barrier?!
THE ONES WHO BETRAYED THE VILLAGE,
ONES WHO BROKE THE LAW
ARE FORCEFULLY PUSHED TO USE THEIR WINGS POWER
AND WORK AS A BARRIER FOR THE VILLAGE UNTIL THEY DIE
THAT'S THEIR PUNISHMENT.

IT'S A PLACE
THAT YOU WERE SUPPOSED
TO ENTER EVENTUALLY.
I WAS SUPPOSED ...
...TO ENTER IT?
BECAUSE YOU HOLD SINISTER WINGS.
BUT
THE CHIEF DECIDED TO ENTER IT
INSTEAD OF YOU
CHIEF ...?!
WHY?!
"I need to become strong too"
!

To protect me...?
"So I won't need to put you here anymore."
NO.
WAY.
AS IF I'D BELIEVE SUCH A STUPID STORY!!
THIS IS THE VILLAGE LAW.
EVEN IF YOU'RE A CHIEF, YOU DON'T NEED TO ABIDE BY IT.
NO!!
NO!!
IT'S FINE. WHAT I WISHED TO DO...
CHIEF...
IA,
ALL NYMPHE ADULTS LOVE CHILDREN EQUALLY.

I SYMPATIZED WITH YOU
WHO AMONG ALL THEM WAS ONLY OPPRESSED.
BUT BEFORE I REALIZED YOUR SMILE
BECAME MORE
AND MORE DEAR TO ME.
THE MEANING BEHIND GIVING YOU THIS
IS THAT YOU EVENTUALLY
BECAME MINE ALONE.

I DON'T NEED SUCH BARRIER,
SUCH LAW
SHOULD BE JUST DESTROY-ED!
WHA-
GRAB
!!
IF THAT'S YOUR JUSTICE, DO THAT
FOR YOUR PARTNER YOU SHOULD BECOME STRONG.
CHIEF!!
DON'T GO!!
IA.
I PRAY FOR YOUR HAPPINESS.

THAT WAS...
OUR LAST MEETING.
N-... NO WAY.
THERE'S NO WAY THAT THERE IS SUCH A LAW.
A LAW WHICH CONFINES THE ONES THAT DIDN'T DO ANY CRIME,
MAKING MARRIAGES WITHOUT LOVE,
...
LOCKING THEM IN THE VILLAGE
REN,
DO YOU THINK THAT'S RIGHT?

LET'S
STOP LYING,
REN.

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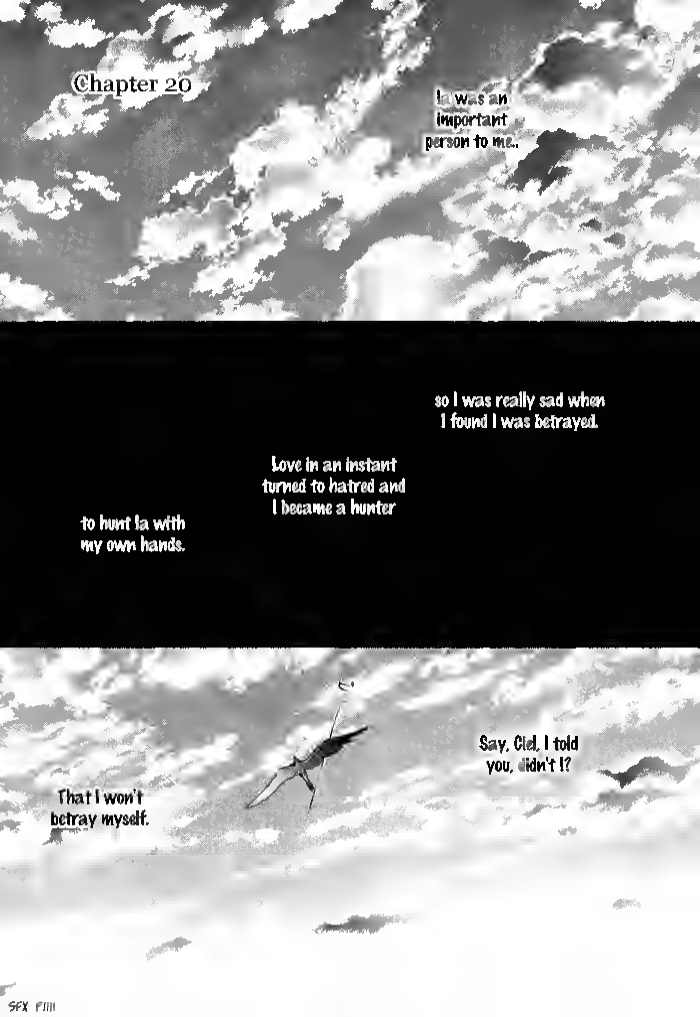
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Ia was an important person to me..
so I was really sad when I found I was betrayed.
Love in an instant turned to hatred and I became a hunter
to hunt Ia with my own hands.
Say, Ciel, I told you, didn't I?
That I won't betray myself.
SFX FIII

Really?

Chapter 20

SFX BUMP
ドン
WH-
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
YOU'VE
CHANGED
DURING THIS TRIP, RIGHT?

SAY REN,
IF YOU
THINK THE SAME WAY I DO...

"I put my wish into it that you would be close to me"

SEE HUMANS,
GET TO KNOW LOVE
AND NOW
FINDING HOW NYMPHES ARE FOOLISH...

WON'T YOU
RETURN ONCE AGAIN
TO MY SIDE?
HUH?
WHAT ARE YOU... SAYING NOW?
That's right, it's too late.

DO YOU KNOW HOW SHOCKED I WAS...
FROM YOUR BETRAYAL?
ANYWAY, DON'T YOU
HATE ME...?
...
WHO SAID THAT?
THEN
WHY

SFX: GASP
DID YOU LEFT ME AT THAT TIME. .?
Wrong.
It's not that...
That would be as if...
Ia left the village because he killed everyone...

SORRY FOR THE WAIT,
C-...
REN
CIEL...!

SFX: SWOOSH
IA-SAMA,
WHO'S VOICE WAS THAT JUST NOW?!
WHERE'S REN-KUN!?
I'M GOING TO SEARCH FOR HIM!
I'M TAKING THE PRINCESS WITH ME.
GRAB ONTO ME
Y-YEAH
BYE,
IA

LAND
CIEL, WHO'S THE PRINCESS?!
S-... SORRY
WHY ARE YOU PLAYING AROUND?
HURRY UP AND FLEE!
...!!
MIGIRI-SAN?!
DIDN'T MIGIRI BETRAY YOU?
OOPS
LET'S LEAVE THE TALK FOR LATER, REN
!!
HERE HE IS...!
YEAH.
What...

was I trying
to tell ta
after that...?
chill
SFX: MOVE
WHO
IS IT?!

WHO IS HE?
THERE'S NO MISTAKE THAT HE'S FROM IA'S SIDE
OH COME ON, REN-SAN,
DIDN'T WE ALREADY MET ONCE?
SFX SMILING
CASUALTY?
SO ANNOYING.
?!
ON THE LAST DAY OF THAT VILLAGE

YOU'RE A HUNTER ?!!
chuckle
SHALL I BE YOUR OPPONENT?
REN-SAN,
LEAVE THAT GUY BE
LET'S GO
SFX: RUSTLE
JAKE.

I RESIGN.
IT'S TROUBLESOME, SO HURRY UP AND LEAVE, PLEASE.
HUH?!
LET'S GO, REN!!
I FOUND YOU.
WAI-...
WHY DID YOU LET THEM GET AWAY, AZAZEL?!!
tightly

SHUT UP.
HUMAN!

SFX: CLANG
WHA-...
HAROLT,
IT'S MASTER'S COMMAND.
WHEN YOU MAKE PREPARATIONS GO THROW AWAY THIS.
AZAZEL.

SFX: SPLASH
WE SHOULD BE ALL RIGHT THIS FAR,
EVEN THEY SHOULDN'T CHASE US
THIS FAR INTO THE SEA
IT'S TOO BAD WE NEEDED TO PULL BACK.
BUT WE'RE NOT PREPARED ENOUGH TO ENTER ENEMY'S PURSE.
BUT FROM WHAT I KNOW
I CAN TELL HE'S GODSEND.
I DIDN'T HAD ANY INFORMATION
THAT HE'S IN YUKKAL

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, REN?
EH?
YOU CAN'T COME TO UNDERSTANDING
THAT MIGIRI WAS SPY?
NO!
THAT'S GREAT, MIGIRI-SAN!
IT WAS A MYSTERY WHY JAKE CAME WITH US
BUT IT WAS TO BRING BACK MIGIRI
I NEEDED TO KEEP SECRECY UNTIL LAST MOMENT POSSIBLE
I'm sorry
YOU'RE A HUNTER, BUT FOR THIS TIME DRAW BACK
BEFORE THEY LEAVE THAT PLACE WE'LL JOIN FORCES TO FIGHT WITH THEM.
RIGHT.

Historic ruins..
all this time,
I hated Ia
but if
Ia's actions weren't betrayal..
If he had reason in itself...

What
should I do..?
I
REN..?
HUH?
NEED TO RETURN

SFX: CREAK
RETURN...?
TO WHERE?
RATHER, IT'S DANGEROUS TO STAND UP
SORRY, CIEL...
WHAT ARE YOU APOLOGIZING ABOUT,
...REN?!

CIEL...
I'M...
SORRY FOR KEEPING MY REAL IDENTITY
A SECRET FROM YOU.
SFX LIGHTN

I
I MIGHT
BE BETRAYED.

REN?!
SFX: FWOOSH
IT MIGHT START SNOWING.
SO COLD.

WELCOME BACK.
REN,
I'M BACK.
IA.

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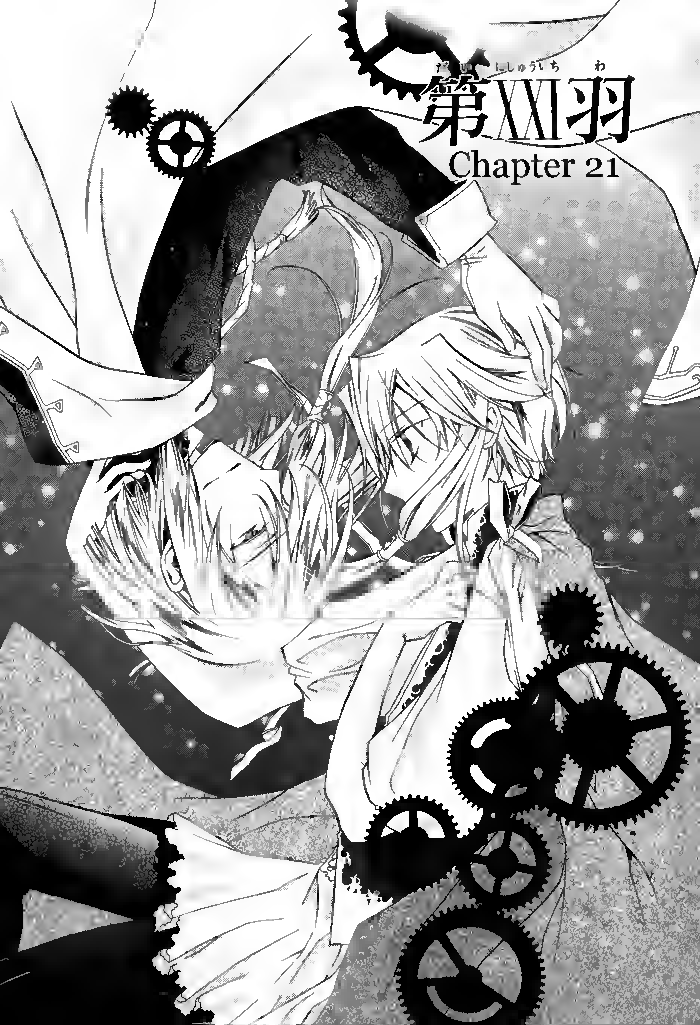
Let's talk without lying
I'M BACK, IA
Once again the pieces have fallen into places.
REN, WELCOME BACK.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I THOUGHT YOU'D RETURN
...
THERE'S
SOMETHING I WANT TO TELL YOU.

YOU
SAID I WAS THE ONE
WHO BETRAYED YOU, RIGHT?
?
YEAH.
I..
I was always without thinking,
making Ia the one to blame,
afraid to search for the real answer

LIKE THE OTHERS, I ACCEPTED
THE COMING-OF-AGE CEREMONY
AND THAT WAS MY BETRAYAL, RIGHT?
BUT
BUT YOU KNOW, IA,
IT'S AN EXCUSE.
YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW IT AFTER ALL THIS TIME.
REALLY, AFTER ALL THIS TIME

BUT
I WANT TO HEAR IT.
I WANT TO KNOW
YOUR FEELINGS
AT THAT TIME IF I CAN
That day
me and Ia
promised to run away from the village together

SFX LOOK AROUND
SFX SIT
PREPA-RATIONS ARE MOVING ALONG
LITTLE BY LITTLE
Candle and blanket and...
WHAT ELSE DO I NEED?
I'm doing such a darting thing
and somehow I enjoy it.
hehehe
chuckle
YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE HAVING FUN,

JILL...
SUNN!
REN.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING SNEAKILY AT SUCH A PLACE...? WHAT'S WITH THAT LUGGAGE?
DON'T TELL ME, REN...
YOU PLAN TO RUN AWAY FROM THIS VILLAGE?

IT'S BETTER
IF WE LEAVE VILLAGE, ISN'T IT!?
SUNN,
SO IA
GO INFORM CHIEF RIGHT AWAY!
PROVOKED YOU.
S-
STOP IT!!
LEAVE US BE...!
THEREFORE WE WON'T CREATE TROUBLES FOR ANYONE.
WE WON'T EVER RETURN TO THE VILLAGE...
SFX RUSTLE
カリ
...
BECAUSE THE POSSIBILITY FOR US NYMPHES TO MULTIPLY WILL DECREASE
IT'S TROUBLESOME
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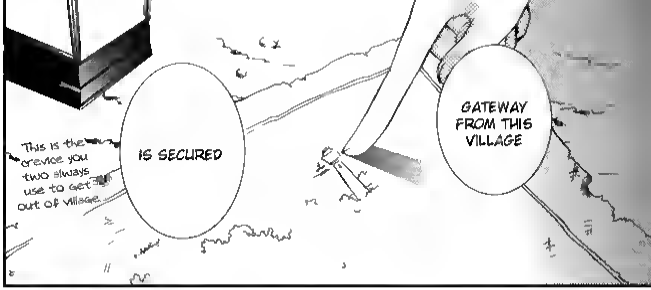
SFX SHING
REN?!
IF I DIE HERE OR ESCAPE
IT'S THE SAME FOR THE VILLAGE, RIGHT?
JUST TO INCREASE OFFSPRING
ONE NYMPHE WILL DIMINISH.
...! WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE VILLAGE'S LAW?
tap
JILL!

SFX CO FR
YOU...
I ALWAY THOUGHT ...
THAT THE VILLAGE IS TOO COLD TO IA.
I WANT
TO LET THEM ESCAPE...!
...
IF THEY FIND OUT YOU HELPED THEM, YOU'LL BE PUNISHED.
IF YOU DON'T WANT THAT, THEN HELP US TOO, JILL.
YOU DON'T MIND LOSING ME - YOUR ONLY PARTNER ?!
!

SFX UGH
YOU THREATEN ME!?
I GET IT.
TEXT LOST
WE HAVE TO MAKE IT PERFECTLY
SO THAT IT WON'T BE FIND OUT IF I'M GOING TO HELP YOU
YEAH
THANKS, JILL!

JUST LIKE REN CARE ABOUT IA.
WE BOTH CARE TOO.
WE UN-DERSTAND
OTHERS FEELINGS.
THANKS,
GUYS.
From then
all 3 of us progressed with the preparations.
Awesome
I brought map
I brought this today


This is the crevice you two always use to get out of village
IS SECURED
GATEWAY FROM THIS VILLAGE

I want to get him out of there soon
AND 3 DAYS LATER
I GET IT!

THUMP
WILL BE REN'S COMING-OF-AGE CEREMONY

Y-...
YEAH
TO MAKE THEM NOT SUSPECT ANYTHING
WE MUST GO THROUGH IT NORMALLY

THEN NEXT
LET'S THINK OF WAY HOW TO GET IA OUT OF JAIL

I don't really get it, but...
What about people at House Flowerland?
It's nothing you need to worry about
IT'S IMPORTANT, RIGHT?
I DON'T UNDERSTAND ELDERS, BUT

"Just"

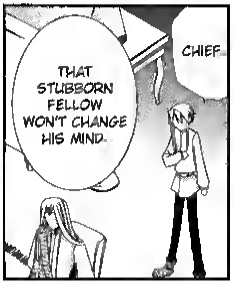
to the one you care about the most.

to give my body and heart

I'LL GO TALK WITH THE CHIEF!
IT WOULD BE FINE IF WE CAN GET IA OUT.
FOR NOW
blush
SPEAK-ING SO FONDLY
I feel a little left lonely

SFX FREEZE
IMPOSSIBLE.
THAT'S

HE'LL LIVE GETTING ALONG WITH EVERYONE IN VILLAGE
I'LL MAKE HIM NOD TO THAT.
THEN I'LL TRY TO PERSUADE HIM MYSELF!


CHIEF
THAT STUBBORN FELLOW WON'T CHANGE HIS MIND.

HE'S SHREWD
EVEN IF HE NOD TO IT IN FRONT OF EVERYONE
IT'S QUESTIONABLE WHAT HIS HEART WANTS
THEN
PLEASE LET ME BE WITH HIM ALONE!
IF HE THINKS THAT NO ONE IS LISTEN-ING
EVEN IA WOULD SPEAK HIS REAL INTENTION!
I need to temporarily deceive Ia, but..
If I'll explain it to him later, he'll understand.
IA ALLOWS YOU IN HIS HEART.
I NEEDED TO DISCIPLINE HIM STRICTLY FOR HIS HERESY
BUT IT'S NOT LIKE THERE WASN'T LOVE IN IT...
SFX CREAK

Chief...
REN,
SHALL WE TRY YOUR PLAN?
IF YOU COULD REFORM HIM
I'LL LET HIM OUT OF JAIL RIGHT AWAY
I'M REALLY MISERABLE
TO NOT BEING ABLE TO PERSUADE EVEN MY OWN SON
!
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

I faced my coming-of-age ceremony.
And
ARE YOU PREPARED, REN?
CEREMONY'S STARTING.
YES.
Chief really thinks of Ia as important to him.
Sunn and Jill helped us.
Ia, village is not only about despair.
But
to Ia it was a painful law
he wanted to disappear.

ahead
Let's move
me and Ia
will become real family
Leave this village.
Under the wide sky,

swoosh
THE DAY WHEN YOU BURNT THE VILLAGE, IA
YOU CALLED ONLY ME TO GET AWAY FROM THE VILLAGE, RIGHT?
THAT TIME I WANTED TO TELL YOU THIS—
BUT IA DIDN'T COME.
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REN, YOU...
I DIDN'T BETRAY YOU.
WHEN I RETURNED, THE VILLAGE WAS ON FIRE
EVERY-THING WAS LATE.
I WAS THE ONE WHO CORNERED IA AND STILL
REN WAS EVERY THING TO ME...
IT'S NOT A REASON TO BURN THE VILLAGE
BUT STILL.. IF
I'M THE ONE WHO'S THE MOST SINFUL
IF I KNEW THE TRUTH
IA!

That's right
REN...?
avoided thinking about it
That's why I always
BECAUSE I THOUGHT I WAS BETRAYED
BUT MORE THAN ANYTHING ELSE I WAS HURT
BECAUSE I LOVED EVERYONE IN THE VILLAGE
I WAS IN SHOCK THAT THE HUNTERS KILLED SUNN AND JILL TOO

AT THAT TIME
I WAS
LEFT BEHIND BY YOU, IA

I WAS ALWAYS
BY YOUR SIDE, IA.
FOR ME LOSING IA WAS THE MOST PAINFUL THAN ANYTHING ELSE,
DIDN'T YOU KNOW...?
WHY DID YOU LEAVE ME BEHIND?
"SO I'LL BE CLOSE TO YOU"
WHY DID YOU SAY SOMETHING SO AWFUL?

Those are my true feelings.

though it's my fault that everyone died.

I chose Ia over that

I traveled with you while hiding my true feelings,

that day when Ia destroyed my village

Hey, Ciel.

I betrayed myself.

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I'M
I'M SORRY
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REN

THIS TIME..
I WANT TO HEAR YOUR STORY, IA
WHY DID YOU BECOME A HUNTER?
I'VE ALWAYS HATED THE NYMPHE'S LAW.
AND THAT'S WHY I TEAMED UP WITH THEM
THEM?
THAT'S RIGHT
AZAZEL AND THE OTHERS WANTED NYMPHE WINGS

rusha
LOOK AT ME
REN
!
Fwoosh
IA!

IA...
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR WINGS?!
I GAVE THEM TO HUMANS. HUMANS WHO WANTED THEM
THIS IS WHY I CAN'T USE MY ILLUSION POWERS ANYMORE
NO...
WINGS ARE A NYMPHE'S LIFE FORCE
BUT
I'M ALIVE

I GUESS IT JUST SHORTENED MY LIFE SPAN
TO ABOUT THE SAME...
AS A HUMAN
AFTER I LEFT YOU, I ATTACKED THE VILLAGE.
BUT I DIDN'T GO AS FAR AS TO TAKE A NYMPHE'S LIFE.
AND IN EXCHANGE FOR MY HELP
I MADE AZAZEL AND THE REST KEEP A PROMISE
TO NO KILL ANY NYMPHES.

I DESTROY TO RECONSTRUCT
RECON-STRUCT
DON'T YOU WANT TO DESTROY THE NYMPHE WORLD?
BUT WHY
YOUR LIFE-SPAN ...?
NYMPHES THAT ARE DESCEND TO THE HUMAN WORLD, RIGHT?
ATTACKED BY HUNTERS
A VILLAGE THAT DOESN'T HAVE THE SAME LIFE-SPAN AS HUMANS
YOU KNOW BEST HOW IT IS TO LIVE IN UNSOCIABLE PLACES...
COMING INTO CONTACT WITH HUMANS...
REN
JUST LIKE YOU,

AND SO I GATHERED MY COMRADES
TO FORM A VILLAGE ONCE AGAIN
WITHOUT BINDING ANYONE
PROTECTING
LIVING IN TRANQUILITY.
BUT...
US NYMPHES HAVE A LOW BREEDING ABILITY
WITH SHORT LIFE MONO-GAMY
THIS WILL DESTROY US...!
THAT MIGHT BE TRUE.

BUT EVENTUALLY
ALL NYMPHES WILL BE EXTERMINATED
BY AZAZEL'S ORGANIZATION

THEY'RE HUNTERS
SO THEY DON'T THINK TWICE ABOUT TAKING A NYMPHE'S LIFE
THEY SHOULD JUST GIVE UP THEIR WINGS IF THEY'RE GOING TO BE KILLED
THEN MAYBE THEY'LL THINK ABOUT LIVING PEACEFULLY NEXT TO HALF-NYMPHES, RIGHT?

I MET...
A HALF-NYMPHE
AS WELL...
THEY CAN'T DO ANYTHING EITHER
THEY'RE JUST SOME LIP SERVICE HYPOCRITES
YOU'RE WRONG
I...
COULDN'T PROTECT THE VILLAGE EITHER
AND HATED CONSER-VATION GROUP
BUT...
HOW IRONIC
SHE WAS A CONSERVATION GROUP LEADER
HMM...

SFX. PULL
SFX. GRIP
IT HURTS ...
IA?
...
"BUT"?
!
"CIEL PROTECTED ME."
IS THAT IT?
!

W-
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
la...
is scary.
I TOLD YOU ONLY HALF ABOUT ME
HALF?
THE OTHER HALF
JUST WANTS
YOU.
TO MONO-POLIZE YOU.
THE REASON OF MY EGO.

YEAH
THAT'S RIGHT.
YANK
IF NOT, YOU WOULDN'T HAVE KILLED
YUUJI-SENSEI, RIGHT?
IA KILLED NYMPHES
Because of us
those two were dragged into it...

I UNDERSTAND YOU HAVE YOUR OWN POINT,
BUT
KILLING SOMEONE WHO HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH IT
LIKE YUUJI-SENSEI...
THAT'S THE ONLY THING
I CAN'T FORGIVE YOU.
...but
finally meshed together
Both our gears

Those gears can't move any-more.
I'M GOING TO KILL YOU.
I.A.

THAT'S FINE.
KILL ME,
!
REN.
NO!!
IF THAT'S YOUR REPLY, REN
WELL,

SACHI?!
I WAS THE ONE WHO KILLED YUUJI-SENSEI.
PLEASE, DON'T HURT HIM.
SACHI!
WHAT HAPPENED? THOSE WOUNDS ...
...
HAROLT AND AZAZEL ...
BETRAYED US.
PLEASE, RUN AWAY, IA-SAMA.

NO.
WE WON'T LET YOU RUN AWAY.
SFX: FWISHH
IT WAS MASTER'S COMMAND ...
TO SETTLE THIS PROPERLY.
swoosh
SFX: CLANG

WHY...
ARE YOU HELPING ME...?
...
I DON'T KNOW.
SFX: MOVE
Why am I protecting them?
RUN WITH SACHI TO SOME-WHERE SAFE!
BUT IA...
I should be hating Sachi too...

HAROLT.
I...
GAZED AWAY FROM YOUR LOVE, BUT TOO BAD.
WEREN'T THEY YOUR ENEMIES?
BANG
smile
slowly

IA IS
A NYMPHE
I PROTECT HIM
CIEL...!

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Amazing.
I brought a map ♪
Today, I brought this

I'LL CATCH UP LATER.
After I hide the boat
GOT IT
TAKE THIS, CIEL
MIGIRI
BE CAREFUL
YEAH.

Why did I save Sachi?
SFX SWOOSH
SFX CLANG 2X
This would mean I cover for Ia too, right?
So many things happened that my head's bursting.
CUT

EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE FIGHTING ME,
YOU'RE THINKING OF MANY OTHER THINGS, AREN'T YOU?
SFX CHUCKLE
NOISE
...
SFX RUSTLE
HERE I GO.
!!
WINGS?!

SFX SWOOSH
A SNOW STORM ?!
SFX KOAK
IT HAS TO BE AN IL-LUSION.
...?
frozen
...
This power..

I stopped Azazel's moves, didn't I?
Did Sachi and Ciel get away safely?!
Town
SFX SUDDENLY
Eh...?
I HELP IA,
BECAUSE HE'S A NYMPHE
SFX BANG
SAME WITH YOU,
REN.

Cl-
EL
WHY
DID YOU COME...?
DON'T YOU THINK I BE-TRAYED YOU?
THERE'S NO WAY I'D EVER THINK THAT
stare
OH...
DID YOU FORGET?
I'LL REMIND YOU AS MANY TIMES AS NEEDED

It's the promise...
from that day.
SWISH
I'LL PROTECT YOU -
THE NYMPHES
SFX DASH
CIEL, WHY ARE YOU...

SFX CLANG
SUCH A FOOL?

THE FOOL
IS YOU
Swoosh

SFX: BANG
!!
SFX: TWANG
DON'T SAY SUCH AWFUL THINGS.
REN.
WELL, THAT'S BECAUSE
I HAVE NO IDEA WHY
YOU'D COME TO MY RESCUE
WHEN I MIGHT BETRAY YOU.
SFX: TURN

SFX CLASH 3X
UGH.
YOU'RE SUCH A FOOL FOR ALWAYS ASKING FOR REASONS WHY
YOU CAN THINK ABOUT ALL THE REASONS
SFX SWOOSH
AS MUCH AS YOU WANT
AFTER-WARDS,
REN.

CLASH
SFX: STAB

WHAT'S WITH THIS...?
Hannah's sword was blown away
You're as powerful as usual
IF YOU THINK ONLY ABOUT THE DIFFICULT THINGS
YOU'LL MISS ALL THE IMPORTANT INFORMATION
That's what I meant

I'm no longer..
a match for Ciel.
tap
SFX: PEET

JAKE.
ARE YOU TWO ALL RIGHT?!
SACHI...
HELP SACHI!
I'M GLAD...
GLANCE
WHAT ARE YOU THINKING, REN-KUN?!
HOW COULD YOU PROTECT ME WHEN I DECEIVED YOU?
I DON'T WANNA!!
I UNDERSTAND.

IT'S YOU, SACHI, WHO TAUGHT ME...
"DON'T JUST GIVE UP SO EASILY."
BUT
WE'RE FRIENDS
WHAT YOU SAID AT THAT TIME
IS REALLY REASSURING
REN-...
KUN...
AND I'M STUPID AS WELL.
...
Excuse me?
Just like Ciel

I DON'T NEED A REASON
I JUST WANT TO HELP SACHI NOW

REN-KUN AND CIEL-SAN, YOU TWO ARE TOO SOFT-HEARTED.
BUT I... WANT TO STAY BY IA-SAMA'S SIDE
EVEN IF I DIE...

NO... I'LL BE SATISFIED
IF I DIED BY IA-SAMA'S SIDE.
SO REN-KUN,
PLEASE LEAVE ME BE.
BUT STILL
I'D BE HAPPIER
IF YOU LIVE
THIS SIDE OF YOU
IS VERY COMFORTING, SACHI, AND I'M GLAD, BUT
SHIFT!

LEAVE HER TO ME
PLEASE, TAKE CARE OF SACHI.
rustle
NOW THEN...

REN FROZE YOUR FRIEND OVER THERE
AND YOU'VE GOT NO WEAPON...

NO,
Grip
Swish
NOT YET.
THERE'S NO SECOND CHANCES, HAROLT.
SFX: CLANG
IT'S ALL RIGHT.
Bump
CIEL!!
SFX: CLANG 2X

HMM.
BUT THIS...
IS THE END FOR YOU.
PANT
PANT
MAN, YOU'RE REALLY BAD AT GIVING UP.
SFX CLASH
WHOOSH
CRACK
JAKE,
ISN'T SHE A HUNTER—?
YEAH
THEN IF YOU HELP HER...

I WILL.
SO PLEASE, HELP ME.
I'll need assistance.
Swoosh
YEAH.
YOU'RE GOING TO HELP HER?
!
DON'T TELL ME...
CIEL

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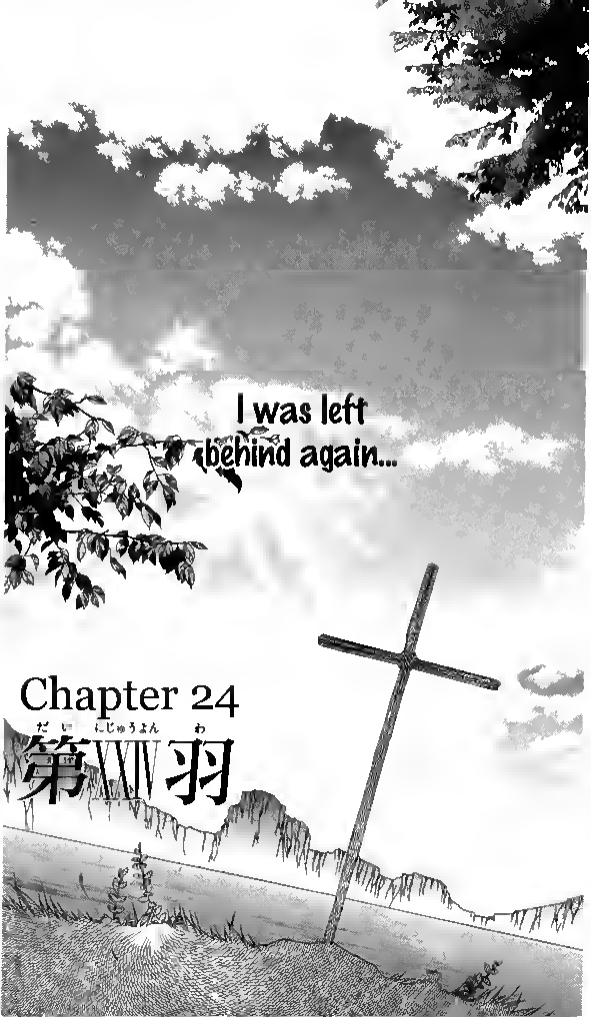
I was left behind again...
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WHA-...
SFX SLIDE
SFX THUD
You let your guard down ♪
TO BE HONEST,
I CAN EASILY SEE THROUGH THIS LEVEL OF ILLUSION
SFX CRUMBLE

CI
EL
...

REN?!
AAAH!
AH
SFX FWOOSH
This is bad.
His wings' power is running wild
GET A GRIP, REN!
CIEL...
CIEL...
If he keeps running wild
it'll take a huge toll on Ren's soul.

I CAN STILL USE THEM AS FELLOW NYMPHE TO GUIDE
REN'S COUNSCIOUS-NESS BACK
HOW MUCH POWER IS LEFT IN MY WINGS, BUT
I'VE NO IDEA...
flutter
REN,
crackle
HERE I GO
SFX BOOM

BLOWING
?!
I'M SORRY
BUT I...
CIEL
HAVE YOU CALMED DOWN YET?
THOSE WOUNDS!
IT'S BECAUSE I INTERFERED WITH MY WINGS.
...
I...?

REN, TAKE A PROPER LOOK...
WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO TELL.
IT'S ALL RIGHT.
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
SFX: SLASH
HH

WHAT?!
HOW?!
SFX WHOOSH
CIEL?!
THIS
I USED THE POWER OF THIS WING
IMMEDIATELY AFTER BEEING STABBED

CIEL...!
I got it from Micah
Is that perhaps Lyra's feather?
SHUT UP!
SORRY FOR WORRYING BUT I YOU, REN, THOUGHT YOU'D KNOW SINCE YOU'RE A NYMPHE
I WAS FREAKING OUT, SO I OVERLOOKED IT!
Sigh
WE CAN'T MAKE LIGHT OF THE NYMPHE CONSERVATION GROUP EITHER, HMM?
AZAZEL...

SFX SWOOSH
SFX CRACK-ZX
I CAN STILL FIGHT!!
BUT BEING UNPRE-PARED IS FORBIDEN.
?!
SFX CRUMBLE
...?!
THE PILLAR COL-LAPSED!!

SFX FALL
SFX SCATTER 2X
CREAK
CREAK
ガラ
ドオオオン
ガラ
WATCH OUT!!
SO
SO THESE HISTORIC RUINS COULDN'T ENDURE WING BLAST'S EARLIER?
SFX CRASHING
SFX SCATTER 2X
ドドドン
ガラガラ
QUICK!
WE NEED TO GET OUTTA HERE!!
SFX RUMBLING
WHAT'S THAT SOUND?
NO
YOU'VE GOTTA BE KIDDING ME
ゴゴゴ
CRACK
CRACK
!

SFX CRACK
SFX FLY
!!
slide
CIEL!!
GRAB MY HAND!!
UGH
THE GROUND IS-
BREAK-ING?!
SFX CRASH 2X

SFX CRUMBLE
IA, YOU FLY TOO!
HURRY!
WHAT'S THE MAT-TER?
HUR-...
gasp

"I gave the humans what they wanted."
That's right.
Ia can't fly anymore.

Ren.
IA!!
you still
reach your
hand to me?

FINGERTIPS CAN'T TOUCH HEARTS.
IT'S QUITE SAD
HOWEVER MUCH YOU STRETCH YOUR HAND TOWARDS ME,
SO REN, LET GO OF MY HAND.
No
IT'S DIFFICULT SO I DON'T REALLY GET IT
squeeze
ONLY ONE FROM TEN TIMES THAT YOU WORK HARD
WE TWO CAN UNDER-STAND EACH OTHER
TH. T'S WHAT IT MEANS.
IS THAT...
WHY YOU MAKE SUCH A FACE, IA?
HMM...
THEN I'LL WORK HARDER.
TEN TIMES TEN HARDER,
AND IF THAT WON'T BE ENOUGH...
MORE
AND MORE.

IF I DO THAT
YOU WON'T BE LONELY ANYMORE, RIGHT, IA?
Aah.. Ren,
YEAH
I WON'T BE LONELY ANYMORE.
you were always smiling to me.
Always being by my side.
You were my one and only partner.

It was despair and hope, sadness and happiness, hatred and love.

You taught
me love.

God,

is this my punishment?

BAD

HEY!
LET GO OF ME.
CIEL!
EVEN YOU'D DIE
IF YOU [illegible] COLD SEA...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "EVEN"?!
IA'S NOT DEAD!
HE DIDN'T DIE!!
UHG
THIS VOICE
REN-KUN?
WHAT HAP-PENED TO IA-SAMA?

Ia died
that day.

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IF YOU'RE ASKING ABOUT MY MEMORIES FROM 15 YEARS AGO
THEN YES, I DON'T REMEMBER ANYTHING AT ALL.
SFX SILENCE
YOU DON'T WANT TO REMEMBER?
YEAH.
Not especially.
I TREASURE WHAT'S NOW
THE PAST DOESN'T MATTER.

I FEEL A BOND WITH NYMPHES
A bond, hmm..?
THIS MIGHT BE
GOD'S... GUIDANCE AS WELL
TOTALLY FORGETTING ME
mumble
HM?
Did you say some-thing?
NOTHING
...BUT CERTAINLY

IT WENT WELL THIS TIME, DIDN'T IT?
I'M A BIT DISAPPOINTED IN SACHI THOUGH.
Uchiha completely wet
WHAT POSITION WILL A NYMPHE HUMAN CHILD HAVE ?
I'M WONDERING SHALL WE LET HIM GO FREE FOR AWHILE?
GOOD FOR YOU HAROLT, RIGHT?
YOU'D BE ABLE TO CHASE LOVE'S WHERE-ABOUTS A BIT LONGER
IT'S NOT LIKE I HATE WOMEN EITHER
BECAUSE OF THAT I COULD FALL AFTER ALL

HAROLT, IF YOU DIDN'T FALL IN LOVE WITH HUMAN
YOU WOULD'VE STAYED IN HEAVEN.
IT WAS A LONG TIME AGO
THAT ASIDE, NOW,
LET'S JUST FOCUS ON GATHERING WINGS.
NYMPHE WINGS....
AS LONG AS THEY HAVE THEM, THEY CAN STILL RETURN TO HEAVEN.
SFX: FLUTTE..
...RIGHT.

HEAVEN'S MESSENGERS SEEM TO HAVE STARTED PREPARATIONS TO RETURN NYMPHES TO HEAVEN.
BUT I WON'T LET THAT HAPPEN.
EVEN IF I HAVE TO PLUCK THEIR WINGS
I'LL STOP THEM

GOD FORGAVE NYMPHES
WE DESCENDED TO THE SURFACE TO AID IN THAT...
ALL NYMPHES WILL RETURN TO HEAVEN AND TURN BACK TO ANGELS, RIGHT?

AT ANY RATE
YOU'LL REMEMBER IT EVENTUALLY,
CIEL
AT THAT TIME... PLEASE
RETURN HIM TO THE WAY HE WAS BEFORE

End

少年3羽狩人、いかがでしたでしょうか？
ほんのりと描き残した事があったので
描き下ろしマンガをつけてみました！

正直、もう少し少年3羽狩人を描いていたかったのですが、それでも随分長くこの作品を描く事ができて幸せでした。
初連載で見苦しい部分もあったと思いますが精一杯愛情を込めました。

子供を産んだり、母が亡くなったりと私生活でも大変な事が色々とありましたが、周りのサポートと、なにより応援して下さる皆様がいたからこそ楽しく続けられたと思います。

長い間お付き合い本当にありがとうございました！

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引き続き応援して頂けたら嬉しいです。
ぜひぜひチェックして下さね♪

最後になりましたが、アシスタントの、おみかちゃん&さーやん&ソーnaちゃん色々とお世話になりました！
一緒に働けてとっても楽しかったです。
ありがとう！
担当様&家族
これからもよろしくです！

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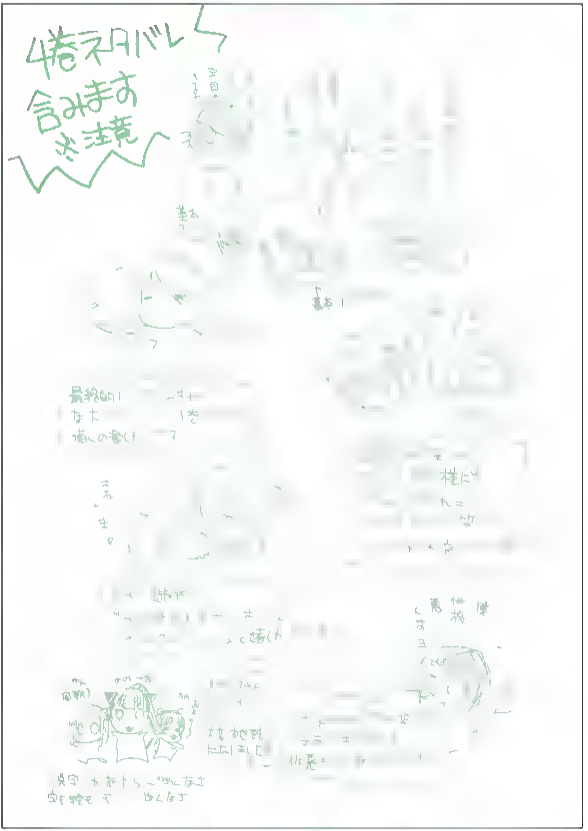

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YUI KIKUTA

最終巻です！
初めての連載で右も左もわからない状態でしたが当初の予定より随分長く描けたのも皆様のお蔭です。
少年羽狩人は私にとって大切な作品になりました。
ここまで描けて下さり、ありがとうございました！

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HAROLT AND AZAZEL ARE FIRST-HAND EYE-WITNESSES?
YEAH,
I DON'T KNOW THE SPECIFICS, BUT...
...
MIRIN CHANGED HER HAIRSTYLE TOO
SINCE THEY FELL OFF THAT CLIFF AFTER BEING WOUNDED
I DIDN'T THINK THEY'D BE SAVED, HOWEVER...
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最終羽

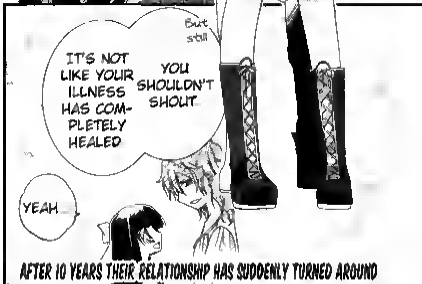
THAT THEY HAVE A "MASTER" TOO
THEY SAID IT THEMSELVES
EVEN IF THEY'RE DEAD
IT'S NOT LIKE THE HUNTER'S ORGANIZATION WOULD BE ANNIHILATED
BUT SACHI
WE STILL COULDN'T FIND HER?
FORGETTING THE DEBT OF HAVING HER LIFE SAVED
SHE ESCAPED AFTER IA DIED SAYING "I WANT TO LIVE FREELY"
WELL, IF SHE STAYED, SHE'D BE ATTACKED FOR VARIOUS REASONS,
SO I DON'T THINK HER DECISION WAS WRONG
SINCE THEN, IT'S BEEN-

SFX: SHOCK

SFX: BAM

I had this face to begin with
YOU'RE BEING A CREEP!!
I'd feel like your dad
If you say that
THEIR LOOKS,
CIEL AND JAKE'S, HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL!
At least knock like a lady would!! Jeez...
MISO-NO...
Oh my sorry about that
SFX: HEAD BANG
EVEN THOUGH IT'S BEEN 10 YEARS
YOU'RE NOT EVEN NYMPHES
SURELY...

Really...
THEY'RE SO LOVEY-DOVEY THAT LOOKING AT THEM IS EMBARRASSING
I WAS SURPRISED WHEN THEY STARTED DATING
even as her sister
flirting



AFTER 10 YEARS THEIR RELATIONSHIP HAS SUDDENLY TURNED AROUND

AFTER ALL, THEY ARE THE FIRST HUMAN-NYMPHE COUPLE SINCE THE START OF THE ORGANI-ZATION
WELL, I'LL BE GOING NOW.
CIEL,
YOU'RE LEAVING AGAIN AL-READY?
I CAN'T JUST LEAVE HIM BE...
SFX CLOSE
THOUGH, I'M VEXED.
JEALOUSY AND SUCH
Is that all right?
It's fine.
THIS IS THE SIDE OF HIM I HAVE FAL-LEN FOR.

THIS PLACE KEEPS CHANGING.
BRINGING HINA HERE SINCE THAT DAY
CIEL AND REN MET
YEAH, HINA BECOMING MISONO'S FIANCE
WAS REALLY BIG NEWS FOR NYMPHES HERE.
A NEW PATH OF...
NYMPHE AND HUMAN COEXISTENCE.
Hm

SFX: SPLASH
IT'S ALL THANKS TO
REN ENTERRING THE CONSERVATION GROUP
"Ren-kun, are you well?"
"Thank you for always worrying about me."
"I am well."
I'm also glad that... she's well.

EEEH?!
"have someone I love!"
"The truth is, I have something I want to report to you..."
I.."
Eeh? What? What is it?
SFX KYAAA
"I think, it's because I remember him that I was able to find new love."
"But it's not like I forgot Yuuji."
"I'm glad I fell in love."
"I can move on now."
"Therefore, Ren-kun,"
squeeze

"you don't need to feel guilty towards me."
"I'm praying for you to move forward
Kaori"
SFX SPLASH 2X
SFX SWOOOSH
AHH I'M COMPLETELY SOAKED
splash
THE LETTER FROM KAORI
AH-

Ah.
The waves are so noisy.
Yeah.
SFX: SPLASH ZX
That's right.
SFX: SPLOSH ZX
Kaon
is really strong.
If I just drown like this
will I be able to get to Ia?
splash

CIEL...
WHY ARE YOU HERE...?
THE SHORE IS IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION.
WELL,

TODAY MARKS THE ONE MONTH ANNIVERSARY SINCE IA DIED, RIGHT?
I KNOW YOU COME TO THIS SEA EVERY YEAR
AND NEVER GOING ATOP THAT CLIFF.
CIEL PREDICTS EVERY-THING
BECAUSE THAT'S PLACE
WHERE I LET IA DIE
I CAN'T GO
UP THERE

swoosh
HEY, CIEL,
I TRULY DIDN'T PLAN TO DESTROY NYMPHES.
IN HIS OWN WAY,
HE WANTED TO PROTECT THEM.
I THINK THAT
THAT'S WHY I INHERITED HIS WILL
AND ENTERED THE ORGANIZATION TO PROTECT NYMPHES.
I THOUGHT THAT WOULD ERASE MY CRIME,
BUT...
BUT
smile

stump
WHY
ISN'T
IA
ANY-
WHERE?
Ia
WHAT-
EVER
I DO...
HOWEVER
MUCH I
SEARCH
IA'S NOT
HERE.
"Where
are you?"
I
WANT
REN...

TO MEET
IA SO BADLY
I remember
all of it.
Gentle voice.
I WANT TO MEET
...-EET.
Touching fingers.
SFX STRUGGLE
REN!
I WANT TO MEET HIM, CIEL
REN

meet him
ever again.
But I won't

Even if he betrayed me, even if he hated me
I still wanted him to live.
Even if someone died
AHHHH!
Ia is no longer here.
UAAH...
Wherever I search
...
DRIP
DRIP
he's nowhere to be found.
UUH...
Even under this
UGH
beautiful blue sky

I wanted Ia to live.
HAVE YOU CALMED DOWN NOW?
NN...
IF IT'S ABOUT IA
I DON'T CARE ABOUT MY SURROUNDINGS
I'M... A REALLY AWFUL GUY, AREN'T I?
I'VE UNDERSTOOD SOMETHING WHILE TRAVELING WITH YOU.
EH—?

HUMANS GENERALLY HAVE DIFFERENT EMOTIONS
WHILE NYMPHES' FEELINGS ARE DEEP
SFX SHOCK
YOU
SAY VARIOUS THINGS
BUT WE'RE THE SAME
FALL INTO INTENSE LOVE,
UNABLE
TO STAY MAD AT EVERYONE
ME
AND KAON
AS WELL AS SACHI
AND IA

YOU TOO
LOVE
I see...
THAT'S RIGHT.
DON'T SAY THINGS LIKE
"I DON'T KNOW LOVE" ANYMORE...

SFX JOLT
Don't tell me you just noticed
SFX RUSTLE
That's
my love.

JUST NOW
THERE WAS A PERSON OVER THERE.
He resembled la-
HUNH? EVEN ON THIS ISLAND
THERE ARE PEOPLE
NO BUT...
I-...
ARE YOU GONNA TRY AND CHASE AFTER HIM?
WHICH DIRECTION DID HE GO?
EH...?
ON A CLIFF...
BUT...
WHAT'S WITH THIS HAND?
GRAB ONTO IT.
stretch

IF I'M WITH CIEL
I FEEL LIKE I CAN GO THERE
Even if it's just a vision, I want to see Ia once more.
GOOD? SHALL WE GO?
Yeah!
Even if I hate and become hated,
whatever emotions
there's not even one thing that's better not to know.

I became the way I'm now.
Because Ia was there

LONG TIME NO SEE!
CIEL-SAN!
YEAH
KYAAA!
HUH?
SA-
CHI
SFX: OPEN-MOUTHED
EVEN THOUGH IA-SAMA ISN'T IN THIS GRAVE,
THIS IS HIS TOMB.
NOW COME
REN-SAN,
I'VE ALWAYS BEEN WAITING HERE.
thud

TOMB
ALREADY
IA ISN'T IN THIS WORLD, RIGHT...?
BE-CAUSE
OUR LOVE
FOR HIM DIDN'T DIE, RIGHT?
smile
THAT'S RIGHT
BUT
IT'S NOT LIKE
ALL OF IA-SAMA HAS DIS-APPEARED.
EH...?

...
How long are you going to hide?
COME OUT ALREADY
OKAY.
hch
Even after 10 years
THAT'S FOR CER-
VERY TAIN
TRUE
WE'RE STILL RIVALS
Right?
SFX UFUFU
AND
IA-SAMA LEFT BEHIND SOMETHING AMAZING

NICE TO MEET YOU, REN-SAN.
MOTHER TOLD ME ABOUT YOU.
I might again,
like others,
fall in love
with someone
because

I'll always stretch
out my hand.